LAKE FOREST

COLLEGE

For Students with
Higher Expectations

Lake Forest College invites students with initiative, independent spirit, a sense of adventure, and respect for diversity to study and live in an environment that emphasizes individual freedom and responsibility, academic challenge and opportunity.

Most students who come to Lake Forest College bring higher expectations. Like you, they want their college experience to offer them more and to take them farther than an ordinary education would. They are looking to try new things and to grow both personally and intellectually.

◆ Our students come from many places: from all across the United States and around the world. Start a discussion on any important issue, and you're sure to hear a healthy variety of different points of view.

◆ At Lake Forest College, you'll find a community where people care . . . about each other and about the quality of their shared learning. You'll find opportunities to set off in exciting new directions: to study abroad, to conduct advanced research, to gain on-the-job experiences, and more.

At Lake Forest College, you can go farther than you ever thought possible.

Widely respected for the excellence of our academic programs, we attract students from all across the nation.

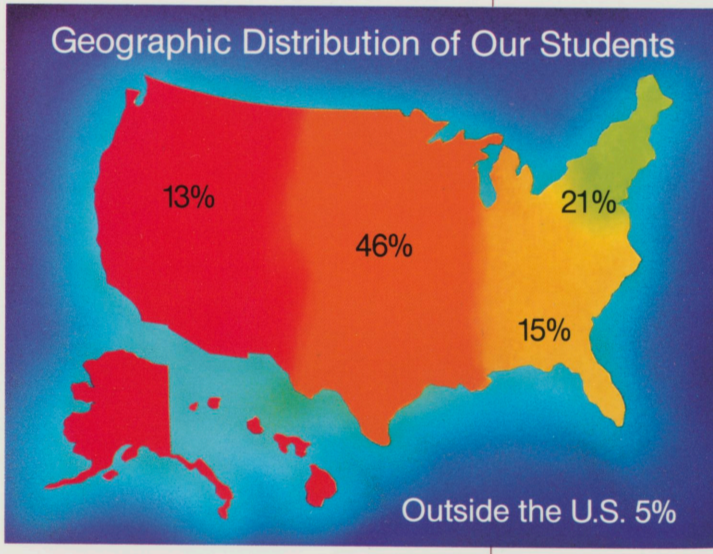
◆ When students leave Lake Forest College, they go on to pursue careers or advanced studies at prestigious graduate schools. Very often, they go farther in life than they ever dreamed they could.

◆ Our graduates have achieved success in professional areas ranging from business and scientific research to education and social services. Lake Forest will prepare you for a successful career, too, but we are equally proud of preparing our students for life—and for a lifetime of learning.

◆ Let us tell you about the people, programs, and special opportunities that can be part of your future at Lake Forest College. If you expect a lot, see how far Lake Forest can take you.

About 1,000 students attend Lake Forest College. They represent 47 states and 25 foreign countries. About 10% are from American ethnic groups.

Lake Forest is the only national liberal arts college located in the Chicago area.

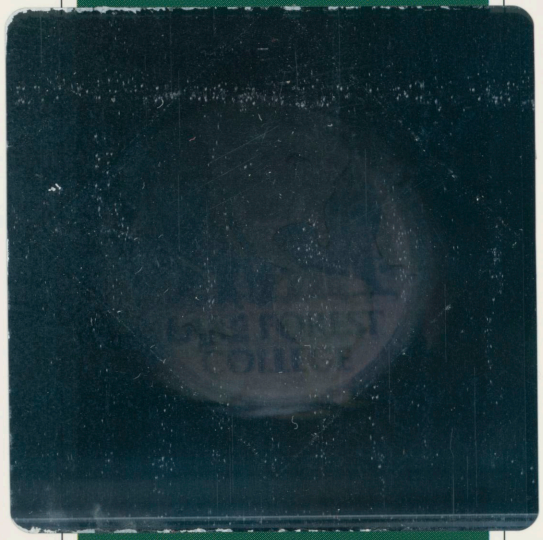


The computer network connects each individual residence hall room, thereby linking students with resources for library searches, electronic mail, and a host of other applications.

◆ Lake Forest College has well over 100 years of tradition. With this foundation, our focus is on preparing students for the 21st Century!

◆ We're way ahead of most other schools in making computer technology available to students. For example, our new campus computer network connects you to the worldwide Internet system. With a few keystrokes, you can access up-to-the-minute data on almost any subject imaginable.

By combining cutting-edge research and the latest in technology, we give you a worldwide advantage.



Holography is just one of many areas of study in which Lake Forest College takes the lead.

◆ Using the network, you might find yourself arguing points of Constitutional law with classmates across campus, via computer, as part of a political science course. You may tap into a NASA database or communicate with people at IBM to gather facts and figures for a term paper.

◆ From your on-campus work station, you could transfer chemical data to a supercomputer for complex calculations and then bring back the results to build a three-dimensional molecular image on your screen. It's an exciting way to learn!

◆ The hologram on this page was created by one of our students, Windell Oskay (Portland, OR, '96), in conjunction with The Lasersmith, Inc., whose president teaches at Lake Forest College during the summer.

Students may connect their own computer to the worldwide network from their residence hall room or make use of the computer labs located in most of the residence halls or the 24-hour computer lab in the Johnson Science Center. Altogether, more than 250 microcomputers are available for student use on campus.

The student-faculty ratio at Lake Forest College is a low 10 to 1; the average class size is 17; and 95% of our professors hold a Ph.D.

There are no graduate teaching assistants at Lake Forest.

Choosing Lake Forest College gives you the advantage of smaller classes where you can learn directly from highly qualified professors.

◆ Because they are active in research, Lake Forest professors share a personal excitement about learning and keep current with the newest developments in their fields. They publish books and receive prestigious awards and grants to further their studies. You'll find them to be accessible, encouraging, and eager to help you make your own discoveries.

◆ During your first semester here, you will begin study in the College's distinctive curriculum. Our **Freshman Studies Program** puts you in a special seminar taught by a professor who will also be your first academic advisor. You can be sure of starting off on the right foot, with guidance from an outstanding scholar-teacher.

◆ As a senior, you will round out your studies with a **Senior Studies** course, a seminar or thesis that brings together and integrates the methods and content appropriate to your major.

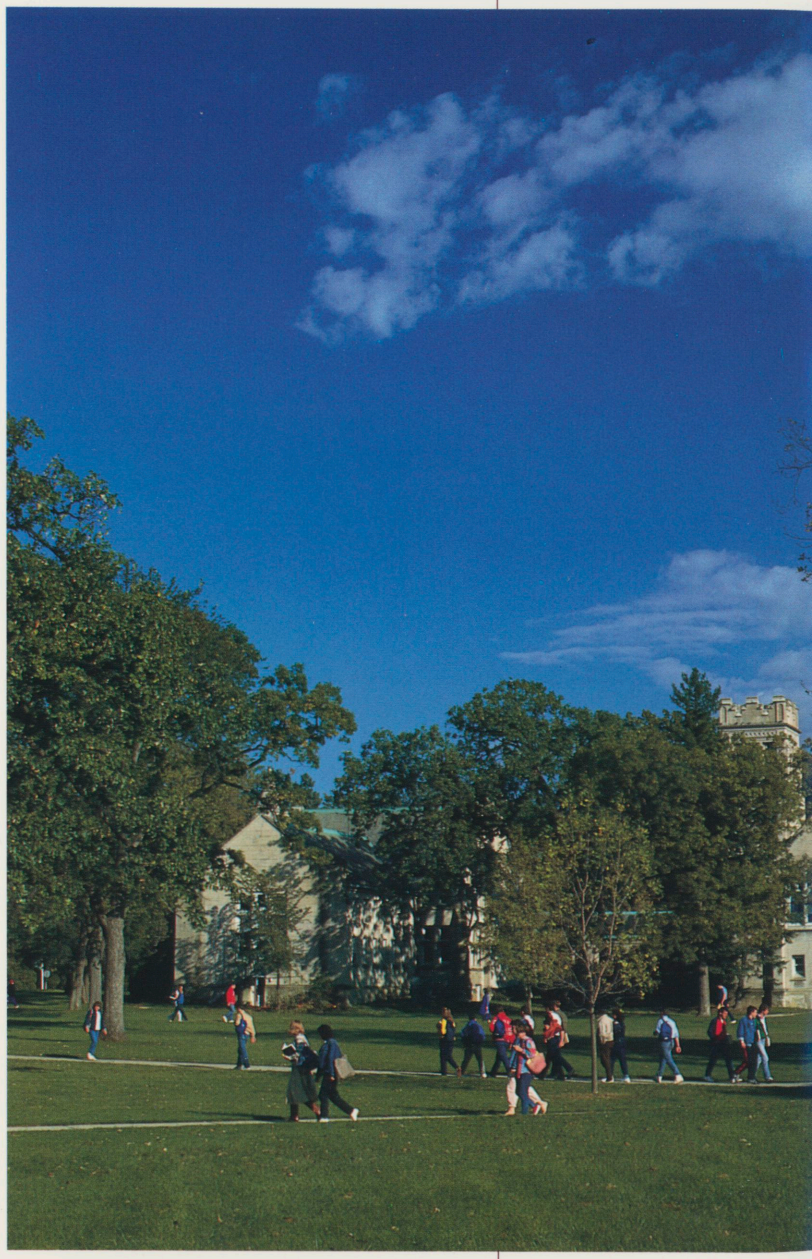
◆ You may choose to **study abroad** through College-sponsored programs in Paris, Madrid, Greece, or Turkey; through ACM* programs in Africa, Costa Rica, Czechoslovakia, England, France, India, Italy, Japan, the People's Republic of China, or Russia; or in many places sponsored through other programs.

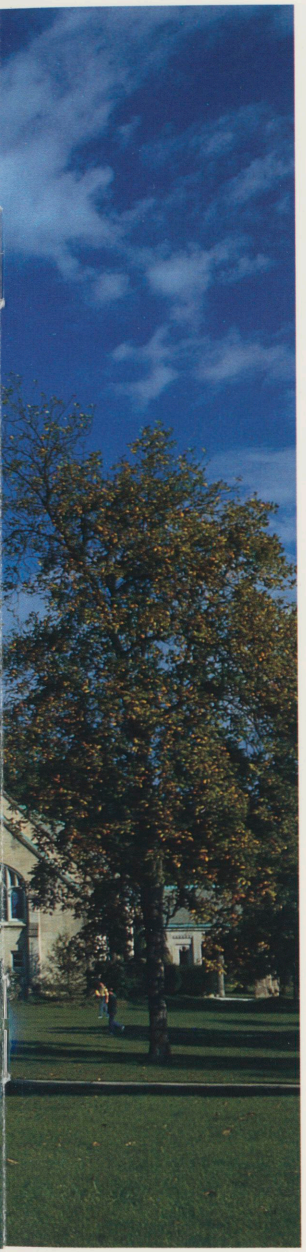
**Lake Forest College is a member of the Associated Colleges of the Midwest (ACM).*

You will study with outstanding professors, many of whom have earned national and international recognition for their accomplishments.

Faculty

Our flexible academic requirements give you room to follow your own interests within a solid framework of liberal arts studies.





◆ We offer majors in:
American Studies
Area Studies
Art History
Asian Studies
Biology
Business
Chemistry
Comparative Literature
Computer Science
Economics
Education
English
Environmental Studies
French
German
History
International Relations
Mathematics
Music
Philosophy
Physics
Politics
Psychology
Sociology/Anthropology
Spanish
Studio Art

◆ What's more, you can tailor your studies at Lake Forest College to satisfy your personal objectives. For instance, in our **Independent Scholar Program** (an honors program for qualified and motivated students), you design your own degree program, focusing on a particular topic or theme of your choice, rather than a single discipline.

You can extend your learning through an internship experience to see how classroom concepts apply in the real world.

Programs

You may work side-by-side with a professor on a research project that actually extends the boundaries of human knowledge.

◆ Like many of our students, you might take part in an **internship**, a firsthand experience in a business or other worksite related to your major. We have placed interns with senators, TV stations, law firms, social agencies—and even the Chicago Bears!

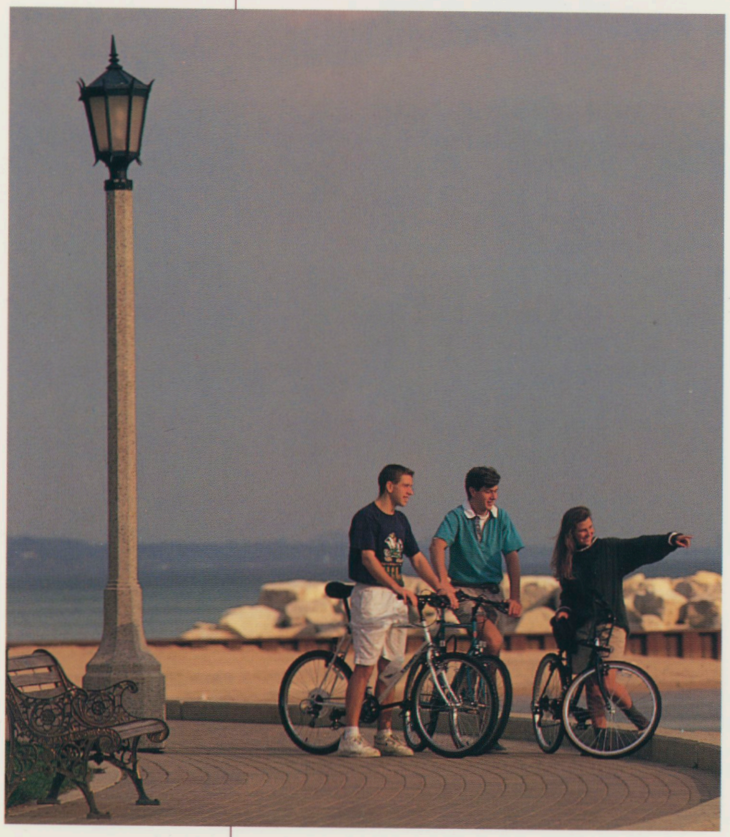
◆ One of our most distinctive offerings is the chance to take part in **collaborative research** with a professor. At very few other colleges could you, as an undergraduate, enjoy the excitement and the rewards of doing ground-breaking exploration in your chosen area of study.

◆ Through our **Richter Scholars Program**, outstanding students may begin doing collaborative research as early as the summer after their freshman year.

Additional learning options available through the Associated Colleges of the Midwest include programs in the arts, the humanities, urban education, and urban studies in downtown Chicago, as well as biology field study in northern Minnesota and the Oak Ridge Science Semester in Tennessee.

Located in a pleasant, secure suburban community, our campus provides an exceptionally attractive setting for studying and relaxing with friends.

◆ Lake Forest College occupies 107 wooded acres between Lake Michigan's north shore and the business section of the town of Lake Forest, Illinois (population 18,000).



A short train ride takes you from Lake Forest to the heart of Chicago, one of America's most exciting cities.

Location

On our beautiful campus, you will enjoy the company of new friends and first-class facilities to support your learning.

◆ From the College, you can walk to the beach in 10 minutes, drive to O'Hare Airport in 40 minutes, or take a 50-minute train ride into Chicago.

◆ Chicago is a world-class center for business, the arts, science and industry, international culture, sports, shopping, and nightlife. The city serves as a real-life laboratory to supplement your course work, besides offering unmatched opportunities for personal enrichment and entertainment.

Our students take part in 50 different student organizations, and a high percentage of the student body participates in volunteer service activities.

We award over $7 million in financial awards each year. Last year's average financial aid package was over $15,000. More than 60% of our students receive financial awards.

Our athletic teams compete in the Midwest Collegiate Athletic Conference, NCAA Division III.

Men's varsity sports include basketball, football, hockey, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, and swimming and diving.

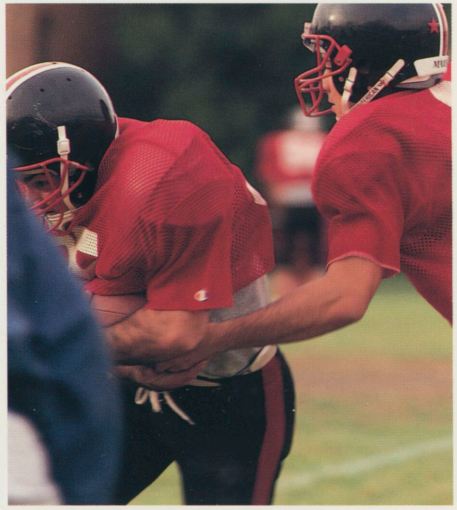
Women's varsity sports include basketball, softball, soccer, swimming and diving, tennis, and volleyball.

◆ You can afford to attend Lake Forest College. Through need-based financial awards, we strive to ensure that no student will be prevented from coming here because of cost.

◆ At any time during your senior year, you may complete the Lake Forest Application for Financial Assistance (LFAFA). To receive quick and accurate information about your eligibility, you may request an LFAFA on the attached reply card.

◆ Our Presidential Scholarships offer full-tuition and half-tuition awards to new students with superior records of achievement, without regard to financial need.

◆ We keep the loan component of your financial aid package as low as possible. Currently, students are not expected to borrow more than $2,000 in student loans annually.



Our innovative financial aid program brings a Lake Forest education within reach of every student, regardless of family situation.

Value

We invite you to visit our campus and find out about Lake Forest College for yourself!

◆ We have much more to tell you! We'd like to introduce you to several of our professors and students, to show you around campus and let you experience the friendly, comfortable atmosphere here at Lake Forest.

If you are a student with higher expectations, we invite you to call us today at **1-800-828-4751** to request more information or to arrange your visit to the Lake Forest College campus.

Lake Forest College does not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, or handicap.

Use this postage-paid reply card to request additional information about Lake Forest College.

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City State ZIP

Tentative Field(s) of Interest _____

☐ **Please send Financial Aid Information (LFAFA)** ☐ **Please send minority student information**

☐ **Please send information about the following sports:** _____

☐ **Notes or questions** _____

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